

SPECIFICATION AMENDMENTS

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

1. Please replace the paragraph beginning at line 1 page 1 with the following amended paragraph:

This application claims the benefit of provisional application number 60/180,268, filed February 4, 2000 and is a continuation in part of application number 09/357,549 filed July 2, 1999, now U.S. Patent 6,251,428, which claims the benefit of provisional application number 60/094,069, filed July 24, 1998, all of which are incorporated herein by reference.

2. Please replace the paragraph beginning at line 1, page 58 and ending at line 5, page 58 with the following amended paragraph:

Example XIII: UDCA-Paste (45 g UDCA/L)

The formulations of Examples XIII, XIV, XV, XVI, XVII, and XVIII include bismuth citrate. In each of these examples, solution dosage forms were prepared by adding an amount of an ammonium salt of bismuth citrate sufficient to provide the indicated amount of bismuth citrate.